## EXPERIENCED TRIAL ATTORNEY DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE CRIMINAL DIVISION

ORGANIZED CRIME AND RACKETEERING SECTION

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT: 05-CRM-OCRS-014

About the Office: The Section is responsible for supervising the Department's efforts against traditional and

emerging organized crime groups as well as major international organized crime groups.

Responsibilities and

Opportunity Offered: The incumbent serves as an attorney participating in difficult and complex cases and will deal with

significant legal problems within the jurisdiction of the office. Engages in trial, grand jury

presentations, and appellate litigation in all the Courts of the United States.

**Qualifications:** Required Qualifications: Applicants must possess a J.D. degree, be licensed, and authorized to

practice as an attorney under the laws of a State territory, or the District of Columbia, and have at

least five years of post J.D. legal experience in the field of criminal law.

<u>Preferred Qualifications</u>: Significant trial and grand jury experience; demonstrated experience in

developing and litigating Federal cases; strong academic credentials; excellent research and

writing skills and demonstrated ability to work collegially.

<u>Travel:</u> Substantial domestic travel and some international travel.

**Salary Information:** GS-15: \$103,947 - 135,136.

Location: Washington, DC

Relocation Expenses: Relocation expenses will not be authorized.

Submission Process and

<u>Deadline Date</u>: Applicants must submit a resume and/or OF-612 (Optional Application for Federal Employment),

a writing sample and a current performance appraisal (if applicable) to:

U.S. Department of Justice Organized Crime and Racketeering Section 1301 New York Avenue, NW - Suite 700

> Washington, DC 2005 ATTN: P. Kevin Carwile

A current SF-171 (Application for Federal Employment) will be accepted as well. No telephone

calls please. Applications must be postmarked by September 9, 2005.

Internet Sites: This and other attorney vacancy announcements can be found at

http://10.173.2.12/oarm/attvacancies.html

For more information about the Criminal Division and the Organized Crime and Racketeering

Section, visit the Criminal Division Web page at: http://www.usdoj.gov/criminal/criminal-home.html

nttp://www.usdoj.gov/criminai/criminai-nome.ntml

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religion, national origin, politics, marital status, disability, age, sex, sexual orientation, status as a parent, membership or nonmembership in an employee organization, or personal favoritism. The Department of Justice welcomes and encourages applications from persons with physical and mental disabilities. The Department is firmly committed to satisfying its affirmative obligations under the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 to ensure that persons with disabilities have every

opportunity to be hired and advanced on the basis of merit within the Department of Justice. This

agency provides reasonable accommodation to applicants with disabilities where appropriate. If

you need a reasonable accommodation for any part of the application and hiring process, please notify the agency. Determinations on requests for reasonable accommodation will be made on a case-by-case basis.

It is the policy of the Department to achieve a drug-free workplace and persons selected for

employment will be required to pass a drug test which screens for illegal drug use prior to final appointment. Employment is also contingent upon the completion and satisfactory adjudication of a background investigation. Only U.S. citizens are eligible for employment with the Executive Office for Immigration Review and the United States Attorneys' Offices. Unless otherwise indicated in a particular job advertisement, non-U.S. citizens may apply for employment with other organizations, but should be advised that appointments of non-U.S. citizens are extremely rare; such appointments would be possible only if necessary to accomplish the Department's mission and would be subject to strict security requirements. Applicants who hold dual citizenship in the U.S. and another country will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

There is no formal rating system for applying veterans preference to attorney appointments in the excepted service; however, the Department of Justice considers veterans preference eligibility as a positive factor in attorney hiring. Applicants eligible for veterans preference are encouraged to

include that information in their cover letter or resume and attach supporting documentation (e.g.,

the DD 214 or other substantiating documents) to their submissions.